

# Android and Overdrive



## **Initial Setup (First time only)**

#### Step 1: Install OverDrive App and get a free account

- 1. Open the Google Play Store
- 2. Download the "OverDrive Media Console" app
- 3. Follow the download instructions
- 4. Open the app, and tap Sign up
- 5. Complete the short form, then tap **Sign up** again
- 6. Open the email OverDrive will sends you to verify your account and click the link to activate your account.

### Find, Browse and Download OverDrive eBooks and eAudiobooks

- 1. Open the **OverDrive** app
- 2. Swipe right and then tap Add a Library
- 3. Enter Santa Clara City Library and tap Search
- 4. Tap the star to save to MY LIBRARIES
- 5. Tap Santa Clara City Library to go to website
- 6. Tap Account, enter library card and tap Sign In
- 7. Tap **Settings** and then set default **lending options** (first-time user)
- 8. When done, tap Save
- 9. Tap Advanced Search (menu)
- 10. Under All Formats, tap **drop-down** button to select either:
  - EPUB eBook for e-book, or
  - MP3 Audiobook for e-audiobook
- 11. Tap Show only titles with copies available
- 12. Then tap **Search**
- 13. Tap to select the desired title
- 14. Tap Borrow
- 15. Tap **Download** and then select a **format**
- Tap Confirm & Download (the title will be downloaded and added to your Overdrive bookshelf)
- 17. To read, go to the bookshelf and tap on title cover.

#### Returning eBooks early

- 1. On your **Bookshelf**, find the title you wish to return.
- 2. Tap on the book cover, to bring up the **Return/Delete** options.
- 3. Tap the Return/Delete icon, then Select Return then Delete from the choices offered